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COMPOSITION FOR
TREATMENT OF DISEASES
CAUSED BY IL-6 PRODUCTION
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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 26, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicants have enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely.

The pending claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this document.

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